दिल्ली में होटलों का निर्माण

*452. **श्री सुशीलकुमार संभाजीराव शिन्दे:** क्या नागर विमानन और पर्यटन मंत्री यह बताने की कृपा करेंगे कि:

(क) क्या यह सच है कि सरकार ने पर्यटन को बढ़ावा देने के लिए कई कदम उठाए हैं;

(ख) यदी हां, तो इनका ब्यौरा क्या है;

(ग) क्या यह सच है कि निम्न आय वर्ग के बहुत से पर्यटकों को अशोक यात्री निवास जैसे होटल उपलब्ध नहीं होते हैं और उन्हें महंगे होटलों में या पहाड़गंज के निजी होटलों में रहना पड़ता है;

(घ) क्या सरकार दिल्ली में अशोक यात्री निवास जैसे कम से कम दस और होटलों का निर्माण करेगी जिससे पर्यटकों को आसानी से कमरे मिल सकें;

(ङ) यदि हां, तो इसका ब्यौरा क्या है; और

(च) यदि नहीं, तो इसके क्या कारण हैं?

नागर विमानन और पर्यटन मंत्री (श्री गुलाम नबी आजाद): (क) जी, हां।

(ख) पर्यटन का संवर्धन करने के लिए उठाए गए विभिन्न कदम ये हैं:

(1) पर्यटन की आधारभूत सुविधाओं का समग्रतः सुधार करना।

(2) विदेशी बाजारों में जोरदार प्रचार करना और क्षेत्रवार से संवर्धनात्मक प्रयासों को सुदृढ़ करना।

(3) विदेश में स्रोत बाजारों का पता लगाना।

(4) हिम एवं जल क्रीड़ाओं, साहसिक और वन्य जीव पर्यटन आदि के लिए सुविधाएं विकसित करके भारत के पर्यटन उत्पादों में विविधता लाना।

(5) हैरिटेज होटलों का संवर्धन करना।

(ग) जी, नहीं।

(घ) से (च) अशोक यात्री निवास में उपलब्धता क्षमता को ध्यान में रखते हुए, भारत पर्यटन विकास निगम का 8वीं पंचवर्षीय योजना के दौरान इस प्रकार के अन्य निवास के निर्माण का विचार नहीं है।

Amount spent on Advertisements

*453. SHRI MOHAMMED AFZAL *alias* MEEM AFZAL: Will the PRIME MINISTER be pleased to state the total amount spent by Ministry of Industry on Advertisements given to newspapers direct or through DAVP etc. during the period 1992-93 and 1993-94, language-wise?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF INDUSTRY (SMT. KRISHNA SAHI): Advertisements by Ministry of Industry are done through the DAVP. Statements of Expenditure on advertisements for the Ministry of Industry for the years 1992-93 and 1993-94, language-wise, are given in the enclosed statement I and II respectively.

Statement-I

The Language wise commitment for advertisements during 1992-93

(MINISTRY: INDUSTRY)

S.No.	Language	Amount (in Rs.)
1	English	2134390.00
2	Hindi	1189420.00
3	Urdu	100006.00
4	Punjabi	135386.00
5	Marathi	304771.00
6	Gujarati	281371.00
7	Sindhi	2015.00
8	Assamee	42694.00
9	Bengali	282337.00
10	Oriya	57675.00
11	Tamil	357139.00
12	Telugu	57427.00
13	Malayalam	97004.00
14	Kannada	100136.00
15	Mizo	660.00
16	Khasi	783.00
TOTAL:	5143214.00	

Statement-ll

The Language wise commitment for advertisements during 1993-94.

(MINISTRY: INDUSTRY)

S.No	Language	Amount (in Rs.)
1	2	3
1	English	1986747.00
2	Hindi	907866.00
3	Urdu	50634.00
4	Punjabi	35889.00

1	2	3
5	Marathi	88852.00
6	Gujarati	198574.00
7	Sindi	3999.00
8	Assamee	31278.00
9	Bengali	224203.00
10	Oriya	27938.00
11	Tamil	275414.00
12	Telugu	73022.00
13	Malayalam	104657.00
14	Kannada	37666.00
15	Khasi	486.00
TOTAL:		4047225.00

Status of Backlog Vacancies

*454. SHRI SHIV CHARAN SINGH: SHRI RAGHAVJI:

Will the PRIME MINISTER be pleased to refer to the answer to Unstarred Question 487 given in the Rajya Sabha on the 28th July, 1994 and state:

(a) whether overall reservation under Article 16(4) of the Constitution in respect of vacancies arising in a year includes 'backlog vacancies' accumulated and advertised in that very year; and

(b) if so, the details thereof and the method of arriving at 50 per cent mark?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF PERSONNEL, PUBLIC GRIEVANCES AND PENSIONS (SMT. MARGARET ALVA): (a) and (b) In accordance with the Supreme Court judgement in the Indira Sawhney case, the result of application of carry forward rule, in whatever manner it is operated, should not result in breach of 50% rule. In view of this, the 50% ceiling of reservation under Article 16(4) of the Constitution in any particular year is inclusive of the backlog vacancies available during that year. Further action to be taken in the matter in the light of the Supreme Court judgement (including the possibility of a constitutional amendment) is under the consideration of the Government in Ministry of Welfare.

Directions to PSUs to improve their performance

*455. SHRI KRISHNA KUMAR BIRLA: Will the Minister of CHEMICALS AND FERTILIZERS be pleased to state:

(a) whether direction has been issued to the Public Sector Undertakings (PSUs) under the administrative jurisdiction of the Ministry to improve their performance;

(b) if so, the names of the PSUs facing losses and the reasons therefor; and

(c) what are the details of the guidelines issued in this respect?

THE MINISTER OF CHEMICALS AND FERTILIZERS (SHRI RAM LAKHAN SINGH YADAV): (a) and (c) The performance of all the Public Sector Undertakings (PSUs) is reviewed by the Government on a regular basis. During these review meetings, suggestions are given to the undertakings to improve their performance.

(b) The details of the losses incurred by the public sector companies for the year 1992-93 and 1993-94 (Provisional) and the reasons for losses are given below:—

Profit (+)/Loss (-) (Rs. in crores)

S.No.	Name of the PSU	1992-93	1993-94 (Prov.)
1	2	3	4
1.	Hindustan Fertilizer Corporation Ltd.	(−) 349.44	(−) 372.95
2.	Fertilizer Corporation of India Ltd.	(−) 225.98	(−) 268.84